

# Boarding at Beaconhills College



College boarding offers a “home away from home” while students are at Beaconhills College. Resident supervisors are always on the premises, on school days and weekends. The modern facilities are part of a large house, in a quiet street, adjacent to the College grounds. The students have use of the whole house including the lounge/TV room, kitchen/dining/sitting room, laundry and spacious garden/outdoor areas.

On arrival, students receive a welcome pack with information on both school and boarding routines. Their passports and other valuables will be recorded for safe-keeping, but available when required.



**Bedrooms** include carpet, air-conditioning/heating, built-in wardrobes, built-in desk (locked drawers), overhead shelves, bedside cupboard, bed lamp, clock-radio, swivel chair, light and darkened window blinds, twin single beds and an ensuite bathroom (shower and toilet). Two students per room. Each student has their own keyless secure entry FOB to their room. Rooms are inspected each morning for tidiness. No food allowed in the rooms.

**Study:** Students are allocated study time each evening (Sunday-Friday) in their rooms. The staff are on hand for supervision/ queries. Students also join in the study support groups which are run before and after school.

**Recreation/sport:** Students have use of the library, playground and sports facilities at the College. They have free time after school to take part in sport.

They are also encouraged to be involved in sporting activities run locally such as basketball, netball or tennis.

**Technology** For students aged under 16, all technology must be handed in at 9.30pm Sunday-Thursday. Devices permitted on weekends. For students 16 years and older, technology can be kept in rooms but must be used responsibly, or it may be confiscated.



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**Linen:** All sheets and towels supplied and laundered by the school weekly; extra blankets and doonas are available. Students are responsible for their own belongings and tidiness of their rooms; bedrooms, bathrooms and shared areas are professionally cleaned weekdays. Washing and drying machines are available for student use.

**Clothing:** The school uniform is purchased at the College Shop. Students are to bring comfortable casual clothing for after school and weekends (a jumper and jacket is needed in winter).

**Food:** Catered healthy meals are supplied from the school kitchen during the week; optional supervised cooking on the weekends (ingredients supplied). Snacks are supplied, although students can keep their own small box in the pantry. Fully-equipped kitchen. All residential staff have a food safety certificate.

**Medical needs:** After hours medical needs are supervised and students taken to local medical facilities where needed. During the school day the students will be taken to the College health centre.



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